

## MILESTONES IN EARLY CHILDHOOD CARE AND EDUCATION

Event or Focus	Year
Head Start in Idaho	1965
Idaho Office of Child Dev. Established by Exec. Order	1972
Tightened Child Abuse Legislation, Health Coverage at Birth	1973
Migrant and Tribal Head Starts	1972
State Child Care Licensing	1972-1985
BSU CDA/AAS Degree Programs	1975
Kindergarten Established	1975
First Week of the Young Child	1977
Northwest Area Foundation Grant for R&R	1984
Child Care Connections Resource & Referral	1985
Child Care Block Grants Arrival	1985
Child Care State Subsidy - ICCP	1985
ID Association for the Education of Young Children	1986
Children's Trust Fund	1985
Established 1-12ratio all Ages State Licensing	1987
Katie Bekett Ruling	1988
First Child Removed from Home CC because of Health and Safety	1988
Established Infant Toddler Interagency Coordinating Council	1987
First Corporate On-site Child Care @ St. Lukes w/YMCA & St. Al's	1988
First Accredited Child Care @ Children's School	1989
Idaho Parents Unlimited (IPUL)	Late 1980's
Required CPR/First Aid training	1989-1992
Shaken Baby and Back to Sleep Campaigns	1990's
Court Required Class for Parents Going Thru Divorce	1990's
Family Workplace Consortium	1990
Part H - Birth to 3 Education for Developmentally Delayed	1991
ID Rc'd Fed Grant to Provide Child Care/Health/Safety Training	1993
First Family Child Care Accredited @ Building Blocks I	1993
Health Dept. Nurses Technical Assistance to Child Care Centers	1993
Early Childhood Professional Career Lattice	1994-1997
Kids Count Project	1994
State Licensing Required Background Checks for Centers Over 12	1994
American Business Collaboration Grants	1996-1999
Child Care Director's Forum Part of ABC Grant	1996
Community Integrated Services System (C.I.S.S.) Started	1996

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National Standardized Child Transportation Training	1996
Early Head Start	1996
Part C - Natural Environment for Children w/Special Needs	1997
Success by 6 Established	1997
State Licensing Required Ratios 1:6 (birth-18mo),1:12 (18mo-5yr)	1997
Idaho Department of Ed. Created ECE Position	1998
Adoption Safe Families Act	1998
Child Health Insurance Program (C.H.I.P.)	1998
ID Public T.V. First Books Program	1998
Albertson Foundation Focus on ECE	1998
State Library "Read To Me" Project	1998
Web Sites for Early Children (ECIC.Net and Clearinghouse)	1998
Parent As Teachers (P.A.T.) Program	1998
ID Blue Print for Quality Child Care	1999
T.E.A.C.H. Project	1999
St. Lukes Children's Hospital	1999
Smart Start Conference	1999
Legislature TANF Funds to Head Start	1999
Early Years Conference	1999
Governor's Generation of the Child	1999
Easter Seals Child Care Program (Montana Model)	2000
Governors Coordinating Council for Families and Children	2000
ICCP Oversight Committee	2000
Home Child Care Providers Forum	2000
Blended Certificate Early Childhood/Special Ed. Approved	2000
Albertson's Foundation EC Professional Development Institute	2000
City Lights for Women and Children Open	2000
Immunet Established	2000
Early Childhood Education Legislative Task Force Report	2000
Immunization Reminder Information System (IRIS)	2001
Governor's Coordinating Council for Families & Children Early Childhood Task Force Report	2002
Idaho S.T.A.R.S.	2003
Governor Kempthorne establishes ECLCSTF	2004